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SUBJ: FRANCO-SOVIET DECLARATION: ADDITIONAL DECLARA-
TIONS ON DETENTE AND ON NON-PROLIFERATION

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1. SUPPLEMENTARY DECLARATION ON DETENTE STARTS WITH
PAGE OF RINGING PHRASES, WHICH INCLUDES DAINTY OBSERVA-
TION THAT STATES "SHOULD" RENOUNCE THE USE OF FORCE,
THREATS AND ARMS AS MEANS OF INFLUENCE (A PHRASE WHICH
IS OBVIOUS BUT VERY LIMITED FRENCH BOW TO SOVIET
NUF CAMPAIGN). IMPROVEMENT OF FRENCH-SOVIET RELATIONS
TEXT CONTINUES, HAS PLAYED IMPORTANT ROLE IN GROWING

WORLD-ACCEPTANCE OF DETENTE. TEXT THEN MAKES BOW TO "CERTAIN IMPORTANT AGREEMENTS" REACHED TO OVERCOME TENSION IN EUROPE, ENABLING SUBSEQUENT GENERAL EXAMINATION OF PRINCIPLES AND OF CONCRETE MEASURES IN CSCE FINAL ACT.

2. TEXT THEN URGES ALL STATES TO INTENSIFY EFFORTS TOWARD DETENTE IN LONG LIST OF FIELDS, WHICH ARE OBVIOUS AMALGAM OF POINTS ENUMERATED BY GISCARD (PARIS 18276) AND THOSE WHICH SOVIETS FAVOR. THUS IT SUGGESTS STATES SHOULD:

- LEND CONCRETE REALITY TO FINAL ACT;
- TAKE DECISIVE DISARMAMENT INITIATIVES;
- MAKE SURE SPIRIT OF DETENTE NOT NEGATED BY BLOC POLITICS;
- NOT INTERFERE IN INTERNAL AFFAIRS OF OTHERS, RESPECTING THEIR SOVEREIGNTY AND INDEPENDENCE; TAKE INTO ACCOUNT LEGITIMATE INTERESTS OF OTHER STATES;
- MAINTAIN FAVORABLE CLIMATE IN STATE RELATIONS;
- ADAPT ACTIONS VIS-A-VIS ALL STATES AND ALL REGIONS OF THE WORLD TO REQUIREMENTS OF DETENTE (CHALK ONE FOR FRENCH);
- FAVOR UNDERSTANDING BETWEEN MEN BY DEVELOPING CONTACTS AND MUTUAL CULTURAL UNDERSTANDING (CLOSE TO BUT NOT QUITE AFFIRMATION OF HUMAN RIGHTS);

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--REINFORCE FRIENDSHIP AND CONFIDENCE AMONG ALL PEOPLE.

3. COMMENT: WE GATHER LONG DETENTE TEXT WAS ORIGINALLY PRESENTED BY SOVIETS AS PART OF MAIN "FRANCO-SOVIET DECLARATION". TO REDUCE PROPAGANDA EFFECT FRENCH TURNED IT INTO SHORTER APPENDIX. AS SUCH IT IS SO GENERAL AS TO BE HARMLESS. INCLUSION OF IDEA OF EXTENSION OF DETENTE TO ALL REGIONS SHOULD HOWEVER BE USEFUL POINT, GAINED BY FRENCH, PARTICULARLY IN AF.

4. THE SECOND, SEPARATE DECLARATION ON NON-PROLIFERATION OF NUCLEAR WEAPONS, IS EQUALLY GENERAL AND LOFTY. HERE THE SIDES WANT TO AVOID DANGERS OF NUCLEAR DISSEMINATION. THEY CONSIDER THAT BROAD INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION NECESSARY, PARTICULARLY IN CONTEXT OF IAEA. THEY ARE READY TO CONTRIBUTE TO THE IMPROVEMENT OF ITS CONTROL SYSTEM, WHICH CONSTITUTES IMPORTANT MEANS. SIDES RECOGNIZE THAT ACCESS TO PEACEFUL USES OF NUCLEAR ENERGY IS IMPORTANT TO GROWING NUMBER OF STATES FOR ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT. THEY WILL WATCH THAT RESPECTIVE COOPERATION WITH THIRD

COUNTRIES INVOLVES "ALL NECESSARY" GUARANTEES TO PREVENT PROLIFERATION AND RECALL THAT THEY FAVOR LIMITATION ON TRANSFER OF NUCLEAR MATERIALS TO MAKE NUCLEAR WEAPONS AND INSTALLATIONS CAPABLE OF PRODUCING SUCH MATTERS. PARTIES WILL APPLY THEIR NUCLEAR EXPORT POLICIES TO MATERIALS, EQUIPMENT, AND TECHNOLOGY, BUT WILL RESPECT THEIR INTERNATIONAL ENGAGEMENTS. THEY ARE INCLINED TO STRENGTHEN "DISPOSITIONS AND APPROPRIATE GUARANTEES" IN AREAS OF EQUIPMENT, MATERIALS, AND TECHNOLOGY. AND THEY ALSO ATTACH GREAT IMPORTANCE TO PHYSICAL PROTECTION OF NUCLEAR MATERIALS TO AVOID NON-AUTHORIZED USAGE. THEY FAVOR DEVELOPMENT OF AN INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION ON NON-AUTHORIZED USAGE.

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5. COMMENT: AS WE HAD BEEN TOLD (PARIS 18104 EXDIS NOTAL) FRENCH SEEM TO HAVE MANAGED TO ASSOCIATE SOVIETS WITH IDEA OF TIGHTER NUCLEAR CONTROLS IN THIRD WORLD EYES WITHOUT TOUCHING ON MORE DETAILED, AND THEREFORE MORE SENSITIVE THEMES. THEY HAVE ALSO ASSOCIATED THE SOVIETS WITH THE FRENCH POSITION ON RESPECTING EXISTING INTERNATIONAL ENGAGEMENTS--THIS ITEM IS PART OF THE DIFFERENCE OF VIEW BETWEEN FRANCE AND THE US ON INITIATING THE INFCEP EFFORT.
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